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Customer No. 000022878

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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## RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Examiner:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 21, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows: